

TARC News

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Antenna trailer setup demo



Our Setup demo went well. We had about 20 people show up to learn how to safely set up the tower.

Jan Furguson our past president and current man in the know on how to operate the tower trailer was there to guide us in the procedure. I think everyone that wanted to put hands on it had the opportunity to help with some aspect of the setup.

We are writing a step by step procedure and will include it in the TARC 1 trailer manual.

Pictures by Barry N4NMF



Congratulations

Barry Kennedy our newest Board of Directors member.

Paul White passing his Technicians license.

Orville Brown New member



Thanks Jan and Sherry Ferguson for the nice wall sign.

This will be hung in the TARC Comm trailer for all to see and use.

[Sky Warn Net](#)

Tuesday at 7pm

146.97

[Mosquito Net](#)

Wednesday at 7pm

28.333 USB

[Friendship Traders Net](#)

Thursday at 7pm

146.97

FIELD DAY June 25 and 26

Same as last year we will be setting up at Fox Lake Park, Titusville, at pavilion 2.

We will bring the trailers out at about 7 AM on Saturday when the park opens, That gives us until 2pm when the contest starts, to get things set up.

Highlighting this year is our newly renovated TARC Comm trailer. I want to stress that this is still a work in progress. I had my vision of how I wanted it to look and I brought it up to the club and was voted on and approved. I did the basics of rewiring and making cabinets, and then getting the radios and computers to talk to each other. Paul Fee donated monitors and Raspberry pi computers and I donated my time and some material to the project. There was no real Technical committee involved as most of the work was just getting things put in place.

This Field Day will be the “shake down “ to see what works and what

doesn't, and what we can add, that's when we will get a committee together to see what software we want on the computers, other antennas and how to improve from this point.

I also want to make clear that you DO NOT have to use the computers to operate the radios. The radios function as stand alone units as we are all use to. The computers are there for a more visual impact and to maybe help with logging and other things. My thought process was to give current members something to be proud of. Then something to entice new members and new Hams.

I hope that everyone will come out and participate or at least come out to show your support. This is usually a good time to get together and socialize.

73's see you there
Tom KN4GLO



TARC Minutes for May 2022

Meeting was called to order at 7pm, the pledge and introductions were done.

We welcomed new member Orville Brown, and while not in attendance we had two other new members Paul White and Jeffery Spicer. Welcome to all.

We went over all the things for Field Day Times that we would be there, help in setting up, and taking down. Stephanie Merritt volunteered to help with advertising and cooking.

Remember Saturday night is the potluck dinner at 5pm at Fox Lake. Park. We will be supplying the meat portion Pulled Pork. Bring a dish to pass, anything and everything is welcome.

Sherry Ferguson talked about the NEW way they are doing Ham licenses. Handed out sheets on the new rules. The main issue is the charge of \$35.00 processing fee to be paid up front.

The meeting was adjourned and Paul Fee brought pizza.

Hope to see everyone on Field Day June 25/26

Name Tags

Barry Kennedy
N4NMF is taking
orders for name
tags. These are
very nice and come
in several different
designs.
Contact Barry at
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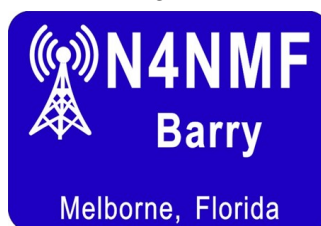
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